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1 3 AN ACT
1 4 PROVIDING FOR A WAIVER OF DEADLINE REQUIREMENTS RELATING TO
1 5 WHOLE=GRADE SHARING AGREEMENTS IN SPECIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICTS,
1 6 AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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1 8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 10 Section 1. WHOLE=GRADE SHARING AGREEMENT DEADLINE WAIVER.
1 11 Notwithstanding sections 282.10 and 282.11, the department of
1 12 education may, prior to July 1, 2003, and at the department's
1 13 discretion, waive any of the deadline requirements of sections
1 14 282.10 and 282.11, relating to the signing of a whole=grade
1 15 sharing agreement by the boards of two or more school
1 16 districts involved in the agreement and the public notice and
1 17 hearing requirements, if one of the districts involved in the
1 18 agreement has an enrollment of less than three hundred pupils
1 19 and has formed a dissolution commission pursuant to section
1 20 275.51.

1 21 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act, being deemed of
1 22 immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment.

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1 27 CHRISTOPHER C. RANTS
1 28 Speaker of the House

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1 32 MARY E. KRAMER
1 33 President of the Senate

1 34 I hereby certify that this bill originated in the House and
1 35 is known as House File 577, Eightieth General Assembly.

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2 5 MARGARET THOMSON
2 6 Chief Clerk of the House

2 6 Approved _____, 2003

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2 10 THOMAS J. VILSACK
2 11 Governor